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27 May 1987

Major P.F. Lewis
Commanding Officer
#162 RCACC
P.O.Box 3013
St.Catharines, Ont.
L2R 7C3

Dear *Paul*:

On behalf of the Army Cadet League (Ontario) I should like to express my congratulations on the splendid behaviour of your Corps at the review on May 8 last. I was particularly pleased with their steadiness on parade and their marching.

I hope you will pass on to each member of the Corps how proud it made me feel to be an Old Ridlean.

Yours very truly,

F.B. West
F.B. West, BGen. (ret'd)
President.

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Mr. A.J. Packard
Headmaster
Ridley College
Box 3013
St.Catharines, Ontario
L2R 7C3

Dear Mr. Packard:

On behalf of the Army Cadet League I should like to congratulate you on the splendid performance of the Ridley College Cadet Corps on May 8th last. It made me proud to be an Old Ridlean.

I should like also to thank you and Mrs. Packard for the kindness shown to Mrs. Myers, Capt. Page and myself on that occasion.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely,

F.B. West

F.B. West, BGen.(ret'd)
President.

FBW:jm



May 21, 1987

Brigadier General Forbes B. West,
185 Hudson Dr.,
TORONTO, Ontario
M4T 2K7

Dear General West,

On behalf of the students, faculty, and Board of Governors of Ridley College, may I thank you for the excellent job that you did as Inspecting Officer for #162 on Friday, 8th of May, 1987. I'm certain that it must have brought back very interesting memories to you thinking back over the fifty-two years since you had last stood on A-Squad for Ridley Cadet Corps Parade!

Your remarks were succinct and well to the point - and the students very much appreciated the half holiday as part of the recent Victoria weekend break. We also very much enjoyed the company of Mrs. Myers for the day, and the opportunity that she had to finally see Ridley after numerous associations with the school and its graduates over the years. Cadets do not function in quite the same way as it did in the 1920's, or the '30's or the '40's, but it is, as I'm sure you can sense, a very constructive part of Ridley's program today. We are grateful to you for helping make the Inspection Day - which is the major focus of the Corp in this era - such a great success this year.

Yours sincerely,

H. Jeremy Packard,
Headmaster

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Here are the details for your introductory remarks

I hesitated to write everything in order since you should put it in your own style

"it is our pleasure today to welcome Brigadier General Forbes B. West back home on this our 80th Annual Insp.

He was commissioned in the Toronto Regiment a year after leaving Ridley in 1926

-Participated in the August 1942 raid on Dieppe

-wounded taken prisoner

-repatriated to Canada because of wounds in 1944

-served in several European theatres again, however, until the end of the war in '45

- today - President of the Army Cadet League, an organization dedicated to helping Cadet Corps across the province.

- Ridley Daze

was a member of the cadet corps....admiss to nothing glorious
platoon Sergeant

"never got strapped" by the Headmaster (a feat apparently)

sang in the first Choir after the Chapel was built
was at the opening of the Memorial Chapel

graduated in 1925

friend of Harry Red Foster



FORBES BENSON WEST

BORN: Toronto 1908

EDUCATED : Ridley College, St Catharines, Ontario

BUSINESS: 1926 - 63 (less 1939 - 45) L.J. West & Co,
Stock Brokers - Floor Trader, Trading Man-
ager, partner, sec'y Treasurer. 1965 - 73
Administrator, Workmens' Comp Board Hospital

MILITARY

MILITIA:

1926 - 36 Toronto Regiment
Lt Platoon Comd
Capt Coy 21/c
1936 - 39 Royal Regiment of Canada, Adjutant

CDN ACTIVE

SERVICE FORCE: 1939 -42 Royal Regiment of Canada, Adjutant,
Major Company Comd, Regt 2 i/c/ in Iceland and England
1942 -44 Dieppe Raid, wounded, Prisoner of
War.
1942 Repatriated because of wounds, promoted
lt Col GSO 1 Infantry Training, NDHQ, Ottawa
1945 Returned Overseas as GSO 1 to Inspector
General of Training (Overseas). Visited Troops
in England, Italy and Northwest Europe.
Returned to Canada, GSO 1 Pacific Warfare, NDHQ.
Demobbed November 1945.

MILITIA:

1954 Appointed to Command Irish Regt of Canada,
1958 Promoted to Colonel to Command 14 Militia
Group, Toronto.
1960 Promoted Brigadier and continued to command
14 Militia Group.
1965 Retired to Supplementary Reserve.
1969 Rank changed to Brigadier General
1966 Appointed Honorary Colonel, 2nd Irish Regt
of Canada (Sudbury)
1975 Retired.

DECORATIONS: ED, CD and Clasp.

OTHER INTERESTS:

President Army Cadet League of Canada (Ontario)
Past President and Honorary President Royal
Canadian Military Institute,
Past President Fort York Branch, Royal Cdn Legion
Member Royal Canadian Yacht Club.
Life Member Cdn Infantry Assn
Life Member National Prisoner of War Assn

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PARENTS:

FATHER: Louis James West, Stockbroker, Born
London, Eng, 1872, Died Toronto 1936
MOTHER: Ethel May Shafer, Born, Kleinburg
Ont, 1877. Died Toronto 1962.



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No.162 RC(A)CC
St.Catharines,Ont

9 May 87

C/Lt.Colonel Hugh Evans
Commanding Officer
No.162 RC(A)CC
Ridley College

Dear Hugh,

Would you be kind enough to convey to the Officers, NCOs and Cadets of No.162 the compliments of a very large number of parents, friends, old boys and army staff and visitors for Friday's dramatic cadet production. General West was not only personally very touched, but genuinely impressed with the deportment, dress, marching, displays and steadiness on parade of everyone involved. Mr. McKeough, Chairman of the Board of Governors, left the school with a very satisfied feeling.

I spoke with Captain Page, our Area Cadet Officer and the man who judges all of the closed Corps, and while he was forced to remain non-committal, he made many encouraging comments. He promised to have the results to us as soon as possible.

Thank-you again. It was truly a dramatic afternoon in which everyone played 'best supporting roles'. As you hoped and asked on Friday morning at chapel, the pride was evident and the care and concern of your officers certainly rubbed off on everyone. Well done, Great Hearts!

Yours sincerely

Paul E. Lewis
Major
Commanding Officer

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Ridley College

No.162 RC(A)CC HQ

Friday late

Dear

Please excuse this xeroxed note (yet another) but my handwriting is awful. This is absolutely the last bit of fibre from me.

Cadets is over for another year and I would like to congratulate each and every one of the officers of No.162 for a job exceedingly well done. Collectively the whole did become greater than the sum of all of its parts. The student body as one rose to the occasion. The amount of grumbling was minimal, a lot of them felt pretty good about themselves, and the old boys were amazed. We only lost one student.

I think you have left a substantial and positive mark on 1987 of which you OR'87s will be permanently proud. There were parents with a tear in their eye, a fact which you will understand only when you have kids of your own. There were moments of greatness and courage, moments of frustration, and moments of satisfaction. We can expect as much in life. I told the masses on Thursday night out of your earshot (you were in front of the gym) that this year's officers were the most caring group of individuals that I ever have worked with.

I hope you learned something permanent about leadership. You witnessed mine as well as that of those above and below you in rank. You discovered, I hope, that leadership is not an easy task and that there are many different kinds of it which can elicit the same result as long as everyone is clear as to the ultimate goal.

Casting a production this big is never an easy task. Everyone cannot be the general but the lesser roles become as significant as the bigger ones when the whole show goes out onto the field. My reward is seeing the job through well. I hope your reward is the same because that is where the satisfaction really comes. The silver that some of you won is a mere pig's tail in comparison.

Thank-you again, personally and on behalf of your school and your parents.

Sincerely,

Paul E. Lewis,
Major, etf.

PEL/

W. H. L. & Co.



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CADETS*

April 27, 1987

Dear Parent:

Your son/daughter has been invited to participate in the St. John's Ravenscourt Commando Contest. St. John's Ravenscourt is a member of the Canadian Association of Independent Schools and is located in Winnipeg. For several years now, they have held an international Commando Contest. This contest requires 5 team members to run an obstacle course as a group. Members must help each other up, over and under the different obstacles that dot the course. This is an international event and teams will be participating from across North America.

Ridley views preparation of this activity as part of the Cadet program and therefore your son/daughter will be exempt from regular Cadet training program. In its place, they will prepare for the Commando Contest. This contest will be held the weekend of May 22nd to 24th. We will be leaving the Ridley Upper School at 12 Noon, May 22nd and arriving back at the School approximately 12 Noon on May 24th.

While the students are staying in Winnipeg they will be billeted with families that are associated with St. John's Ravenscourt. Ridley will be entering 2 teams this year; one co-educational team consisting of 3 boys and 2 girls; one Elite boys team. Teams will be supervised by myself. The school is prepared to cover one half the cost of travel and transportation. The remaining \$ 150.00 will be billed to your account.

Last year, Ridley entered a co-educational team for the first time and finished 2nd place in its division. This has been an exciting new endeavour for the School. Currently, Mr. Packard is planning on constructing part of the obstacle course on the Ridley campus to facilitate practise for future events. I have enclosed copies of the information which we've received from St. John's Ravenscourt outlining the intent, purpose and nature of the competition, as well as an itinerary outlining our travel arrangements.

If you have any questions or comments about the program, feel free to contact me and I'll be happy to answer questions for you.

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Thank you, in advance for your support and cooperation.

Yours in fitness, friendship and fun,

Mike Hazell

Michael S. Hazell
Director
Ridley College Summer Session

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WILD SIDE



THE WINNER

It is not the critic who counts, or how the strong man stumbled and fell, or whether the doer of deeds could have done them better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena, whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood, who strives valiantly, who errs and comes short again and again; who knows the great enthusiasm, the great devotion, and who spends himself in a worthy cause, and if he fails, at least fails while daring greatly so he'll never be with those cold and timid souls who never know either victory or defeat.



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M. HAZELL
COACH

COMMANDO TEAM PRACTICE SCHEDULE

TIME: 7:00 PM

April 27th

May 4th

May 11th

May 19th

May 28th

1. Please be dressed to run and workout
2. We will meet in the P.A.C. lounge

Ridley College

ITINERARY FOR WINNIPEG TRIP - COMMANDO RUN

MAY 22nd:

Pick up by Alexander's Service 12 NOON Upper School Circle

Depart Toronto 3:20 PM Air Canada # 193

Arrive Winnipeg 4:46 PM

MAY 24th:

Depart Winnipeg 7:00 AM Air Canada # 190

Arrive Toronto 10:10 AM

COST: Airline - \$ 229.90 each (tax included)

Limo Service - \$ 274.00 (11 people)



Dear Competitors:

Welcome to the 3rd ANNUAL SJR COMMANDO TEAM CHALLENGE, a unique and exciting event for the benefit of Manitoba's Ronald McDonald House and the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation. Your participation on May 10th will help to ensure a challenging, fun and successful event.

The kit contains information and suggestions for you and your teammates pertinent to Challenge Day.

Because of the nature of the course, we recommend that you wear a long-sleeved shirt, long sweat pants and fingerless gloves. Expensive and spanking-new runners may finish the course somewhat shabbier than when you started, so we suggest that you wear shoes you can afford to bruise.

Each team member should bring a towel for his/her own use in the shower room. We will have plastic bags available for keeping your clothing together. These can be checked during the race.

Included in your kit are parking vouchers, rules and regulations, a map of the grounds and a list of available facilities and services, as well as some small gifts from various businesses in the city.

An Awards Banquet Ticket is also included for each team member. Please present your ticket upon arrival at the banquet. We hope that each and every competitor will join us at SJR for the evening, and share in the glow of a race well run!

Along with various sports celebrities, the "Hamburgler" and "Grimace" will be on site in the children's play area, and clowns and music will add to the fun of the day.

The benefits to Ronald McDonald House and the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation will be greatly enhanced if you encourage your friends and relatives to come out to cheer you on. An admission charge of \$1.00 per person will go directly to the charities. A "MESS TENT" featuring hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks will be available to the public.

We will call each Team with their starting times.

We are looking forward to a dynamic Challenge Day. Thank you for your entry ... see you on May 10th!

Sincerely,

John A. Messenger
Principal, SJR

COMMANDO RUN

RULES:

1. Each team member incurring a fault will be assessed a time penalty. For example, if three team members fall off the balance beam the total team penalty would be 30 seconds. A team member dragging his feet through the water in the snake pit, would be assessed a 5 second penalty. Falling in the pit would result in a 10 second penalty. Failure to attempt any obstacle will result in a 30 second penalty. Any illegal assistance at an obstacle will result in a 10 second penalty.
2. Team members may NOT come back to the start of an obstacle to assist other team members. (This would constitute a fault as stated in (1)).
3. Slower teams must move aside to allow faster teams through. If an individual on the slower team is half-way through completion of an obstacle, he may complete the obstacle and then he and his teammates stand aside to let the faster team through.
4. Each team member must wear his number on the BACK of his shirt.
5. ALL four team members must carry the fifth person across the tire obstacle AND across the finish line.
6. If a team member cannot complete the course because of injury, the rest of the team may finish and will be assessed a 30 second penalty.
7. Teams must finish the race AS A TEAM. Time will be recorded when the last person crosses the line.
8. ANY CHALLENGES TO THE ASSESSMENT OF FAULTS MUST BE MADE TO BRUCE NORTHCOTT, TECHNICAL DIRECTOR BEFORE 6:00 P.M. ALL POSTED RESULTS ARE UNOFFICIAL. OFFICIAL TIMES AND PLACEMENTS WILL NOT BE ANNOUNCED UNTIL THE EVENING BANQUET.

OBSTACLE DESCRIPTIONS:

(Note: These are not all as described in the pamphlet.)

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| 1. THE WALL | Up and Over - no aids other than your team's muscles.
Fault: 10 seconds for failure to get over |
| 2. THE RACK | You MUST touch the first and last rung. (You can do the others as doubles, or triples or ...)
Fault: 10 seconds for failure to complete |
| 3. SNAKE PIT | You must swing across the pit and drop on the far side.
Touching the pit water or falling into the pit constitutes a fault. Swing the rope back to the next person.
Fault: 5 seconds for touching the water
10 seconds for falling right into the water |
| 4. BALANCE BEAMS | Don't fall or jump off until you cross the yellow line.
Fault: 10 seconds for falling off the beam |
| 5. OVER & UNDER LOGS | Go OVER the high ones and UNDER the low ones.
Fault: 10 seconds for incorrect sequence (over an under or under an over) |

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Commando Run Rules:

6. ROPE BRIDGE Use hands and feet - hands on top rope and feet on the bottom one. In the family category, younger children may be carried on the backs of their parents.
Fault: 10 seconds for touching the ground
7. GIANT'S LADDER Over the TOP RUNG!
Fault: 10 seconds for going over the middle rather than the top rung
8. SEWER Crawl through.
9. GIANT'S REEL Over the reel, any way you can. (Remember, team members MUST NOT come back to help once they are over.)
10. UP THE BANK Follow the yellow markers to the edge of the river bank then scramble down the bank and proceed along the shore line to the rope. Climb up the bank with the help of the rope.
11. JUNGLE GYM Up, over the tires, to the TOP LEVEL and slide down the pole. Then run around the south side of the tennis courts to the old metal jungle gym.
Fault: 5 seconds for incorrect sequence
12. SHORT LADDER Up and over the ladder section of the old metal jungle gym. (Don't hit your head!)
13. CARGO NET Up and over and drop off the far end (facing the soccer field).
Fault: 10 seconds for dropping off the side instead of the end.
14. TUNNEL Each team member must crawl through this 1½ foot high tunnel.
15. TIRES Four team members must carry one team member over the tires. You may step on the tires. When through, drop the person you are carrying.
Fault: 10 seconds for dropping the carried member before the team is all off the tires or for stepping outside the tires.
16. SPRINT Run (if you still can) to the top of the east dike road.
17. STEEPLE CHASE Cross the road and proceed down the hill to jump across the steeple chase pit. If by chance you fall into the pit, you will not be faulted. Your teammates may assist you in climbing out of it.
18. CARRY & FINISH Pick up and carry your lightest (or weakest) team member and carry him/her across the finish line.
Fault: 10 seconds for dropping your carried member before the finish line.

GOOD LUCK!

Bruce Northcott
Technical Race Director





The Teams:

Each team must consist of 5 members. All contestants should be in top aerobic and muscle condition. The course could involve up to 20 minutes of continuous and demanding effort.

Categories:

1. Families — Any Mom, any Dad, and any three kids under 12.
2. Mixed — at least 2 of each sex, any age.
3. Men's Open
4. Men's Masters — 40 and over
5. Women's Open
6. Women's Masters — 40 and over.
7. Youth — age 12 and under
8. Youth Mixed
9. Youth Male
10. Youth Female
11. Student — age 13-18
12. Student Mixed
13. Student Male
14. Student Female

Pre-Run:

All first-time competitors must make an orientation run between May 4 and May 22.

It is strongly recommended that all teams have an orientation to the course conducted by an official SJR representative between May 4 and May 22. For appointment call Sandi Laine 453-2671.

After orientation teams may practice the course at any time.

Instructions for the course will be mailed to each team contact person upon receipt of completed entry form.



The Course:

Located on the SJR Campus, 400 South Drive in Winnipeg, Manitoba

A 1 1/4 mile course with 18 obstacles as described below:



- 1 With a helping hand we can all conquer the WALL
- 2 You can't see the finish line until you're in the SHARK PIT
- 3 A Tarzan-like swing across the BALANCE BEAMS
- 4 Sure feet see us across the BALANCE BEAMS
- 5 There may be a few scrapes and bruises getting by the OVER and UNDER LOGS
- 6 Your team-mates' help may be required to traverse the ROPE
- 7 The GIANT'S LADDER — and for those afraid of heights
- 8 There is no way you can avoid the MUD while crawling through the SEWER
- 9 Your team-mates boost or pull you over the GIANT'S REEL
- 10 Jump up and swing across the tires and you have survived the HANGMAN'S NOTCH
- 11 Down on the ground, you'll have to crawl under the pole
- 12 And get over the GIANT'S LADDER
- 13 With strength remaining, haul your carcass over the CARGO NET
- 14 Down on your stomach to crawl under the BEAMS
- 15 The lightest gets to rest as 4 carry 1 over the TIRES
- 16 Slide up on the hill and jump across the STEEPLE CHASE pit (it's your call)
- 17 From here, THE FOUR CARRY THE SLOWEST (or lightest) member to FINISH as a team

Each team will run (or crawl) the course against the clock. Times will be posted as the team completes the run. Trained personnel will be stationed at each obstacle to spot and/or record faults. Teams will start 3 minutes apart. Each team will be given its starting time prior to CHALLENGE day.

Registration Fee:

\$125 per team
Includes kits and finish line refreshments

A tax receipt for \$25.00 per team member will be issued upon request

Make cheque or money order payable to

SJR CHALLENGE
400 South Drive
Winnipeg, Manitoba
R3T 3K5

Receipt required: individuals corporate

The Kit:

Available for pick-up at the Development Office, Thomson House, ST. JOHN'S-RAVENS-COURT SCHOOL May 4-May 22 from 9:00 am - 4:30 pm. Kits will be mailed to out-of-town registrants.

M.A.S.H. Tent:

Medical personnel will be in attendance on the River Field throughout the day

Mess Tent: (Dutton Arena)

Hamburgers and hot dogs hot off the barbeque, as well as cold drinks, coffee and chips will be on sale for competitors and spectators

T-Shirts:

SJR COMMANDO TEAM CHALLENGE T-shirts will be available for purchase on the field during the event.

Parking:

RESTRICTED to parking lot behind Dutton Arena. (See map ②)

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THE ARMY CADET LEAGUE OF CANADA
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TORONTO, CANADA

HONORARY PRESIDENT

THE HON. A. J. BAY

PRIME MINISTER OF CANADA

TO: SPONSORS , ARMY CADET CORPS

SPONSORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The following is a resume of sponsors' responsibilities extracted from the Army Cadet League Reference Manual as an aide memoire for sponsors.

SPONSOR'S COMMITTEE

The Commanding Officer of a Cadet Corps is a very busy individual and should have to deal only with one representative of the sponsoring committee. This is normally the Chairman who will relay the CO's concerns to the committee and vice-versa.

The Sponsor's Committee should consist of the following people where possible:

Chairman	Who is the contact with the CO of the Cadet Corps and who calls and chairs regular meetings of the Committee;
Secretary	Who records minutes of meetings and carries out correspondence on behalf of the Committee;
Treasurer	Who is responsible for controlling the finances of the Cadet Corps and who is a signatory to all financial dealings of the Corps except for salary payments from the Department of National Defence. The Treasurer should also be responsible for determining the financial needs of the Cadet Corps and should arrange for fund-raising activities in which the Corps may participate. Detailed planning of fund-raising activities should not be left to the Commanding Officer whose contribution should be to provide "bodies" to carry out the fund-raising campaign.
Recruiting Officer	Who is responsible for formulating an ongoing recruiting program to interest the youth of the community in the Cadet Corps. The Recruiting Officer is also responsible for ensuring that the Corps has a full slate of Officers and that a second-in-command is always in training to take over the duties of the Commanding Officer. This latter function is especially important as the tenure of office of the Commanding Officer is limited to three years. Extensions can be given for a one year term , but this is not desirable and should occur only in very small communities where capable instructors are not available.



Public Relations Officer	Who should plan and prepare publicity announcements on Corps activities for press , radio and television. The PR Officer should also ensure that the Corps is invited to participate in civic ceremonies where they can obtain visual exposure. The PR Officer should also maintain close liaison with civic dignitaries , parents , schools and other local community organizations. The PR Officer is also responsible for arranging to provide trophies and awards for deserving Cadets.
Accommodation Officer	Who ensures that the Corps is provided with adequate accommodation for offices , lectures and parades. This Officer is also responsible to ensure that secure accommodation is provided for stores held by the Cadet Corps.

NOTE THAT MANY SPONSOR'S COMMITTEES COMBINE THE ABOVE DUTIES AND HAVE ONE PERSON HOLDING SEVERAL OF THE ABOVE OFFICES , BUT IT SHOULD BE STRESSED THAT ALL AREAS OF THE SPONSOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES SHOULD BE COVERED TO ENSURE THE SUCCESS OF THE CORPS IN THE COMMUNITY.

It is expected that the Chairman of the Sponsoring Committee will visit the Corps on a regular basis to monitor activities , although in many cases the Chairman will delegate one of his Committee members to visit the Corps and report to the Committee.

Peter B. Kristjansen
General Manager





*The Ridley College Women's Guild
Luncheon and Annual Meeting*

will be held at 12:00 noon

*Cadet Inspection Day, Friday, May the Ninth
nineteen hundred and eighty-six*

in

The Lower School

*Sherry 10:30 a.m.
at the home of Mrs. D. P. Hunt*

*R. S. V. P.
using reply card and
envelope attached.*



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ANNUAL MEETING 1987

The Annual Meeting of the Army Cadet League of Canada (Ontario) will be held in Toronto on Saturday, April 11th at the Canadian Forces Command & Staff College, 215 Yonge Blvd from 1030 to 1630 hrs and will be followed by a formal Mess Dinner at the same location.

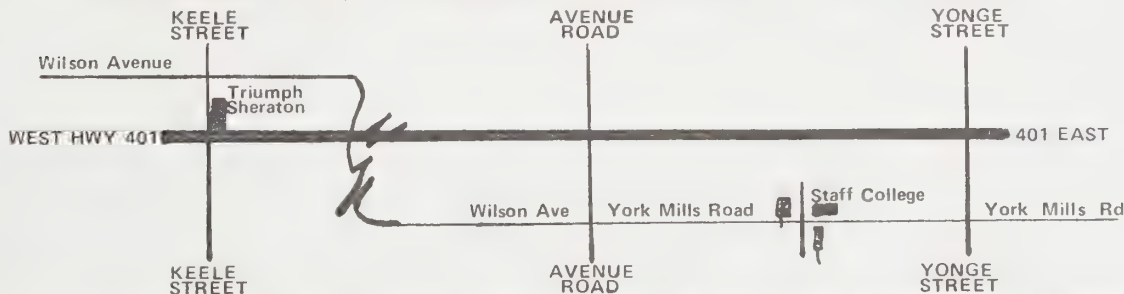
Dress for dinner is Mess Dress, Black Tie w/miniatures, S-5 or Blazer & Flannels

Timing for dinner is 1830 hrs for 1930 hrs

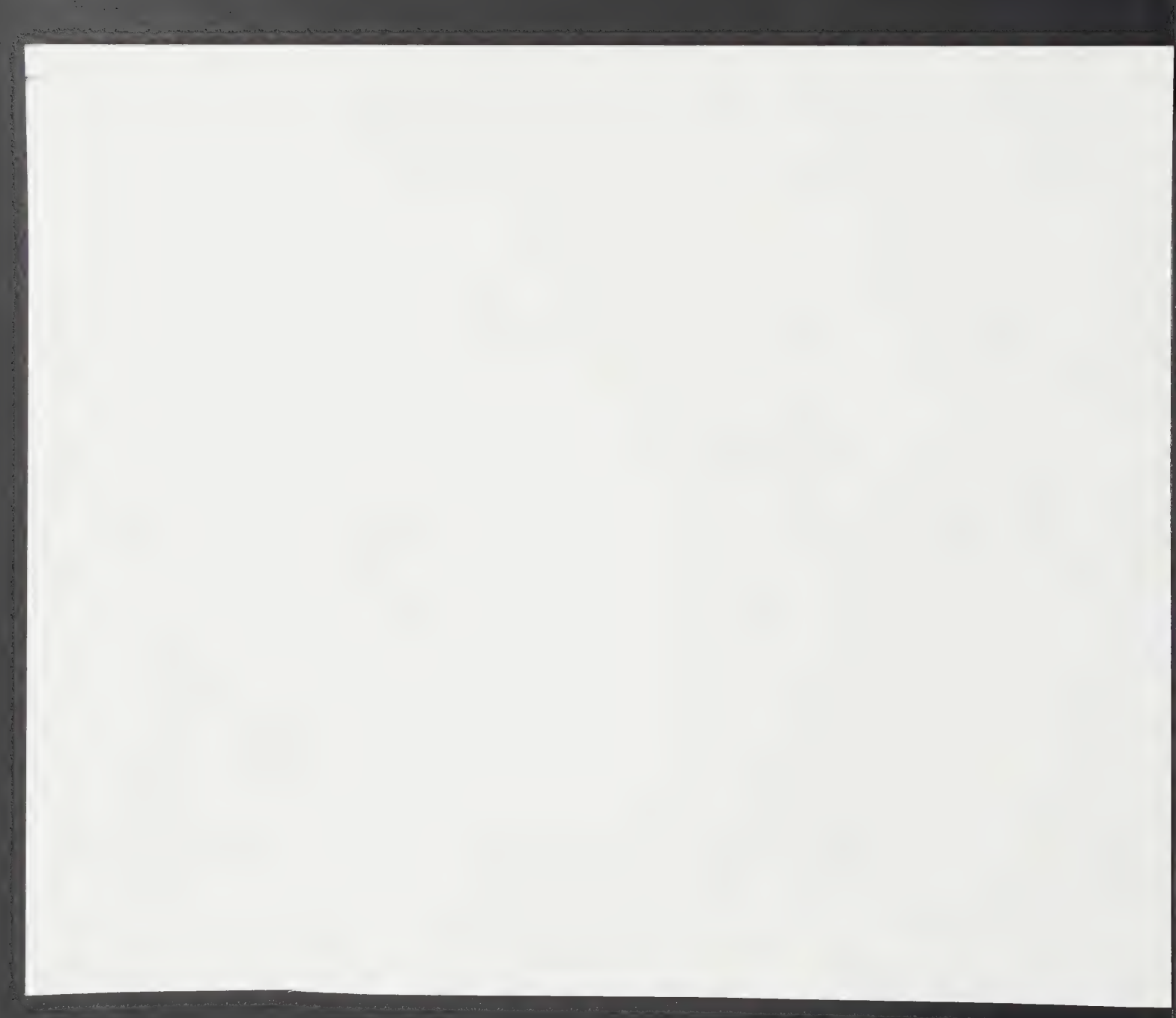
All Commanding Officers, Sponsors and League Officials are invited to attend.

As 1987 is the "YEAR OF THE SPONSOR" we ask that Sponsors make a special effort to attend. CO's are requested to invite their Sponsors to attend the meeting with them.

Delegates requiring overnight accomodation are to contact the League office by 30 Mar or the Triumph Sheraton Hotel, 2737 Keele Street, Downsview..... Tel: (416) 633-2000.



PLEASE RETURN THE FORM BELOW WHETHER OR NOT YOU PLAN TO ATTEND



100 February 1981

Captain M. L. Bates
Officer Commanding
Canadian Forces Recruiting Centre Detachment
241 St. Paul Street
St. Catharines, ON
L9R 3M7

Dear Captain Bates:

Thank you very much for your invitation to the 4th Annual Personnel Luncheon to be held on Friday, 6 March at Lincoln's Tavernette located at Academy Street.

Fortunately this year it is now over our March holiday; and while I am otherwise engaged, Kidney is happy to send Mrs. Janet Lewis, who will be assuming the assistant chairmanship of Kidney at the end of this year.

Thank you for inviting us!

Yours sincerely,

H. Jeremy MacLennan
President

JP:xj

cc: Mrs. Janet Lewis





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11 February 1987

Mr. Jeremy Packard
Ridley College
P.O. Box #3013
St Catharines, Ontario
L2R 7C3

Dear

Jeremy

It is again our pleasure to invite you to our 4th Annual Principal's Luncheon which will be held on Friday, 06 March 1987, at Domenic's Yorkshire House, 22 Academy Street. Cocktails will be served 12:30 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. and the meal served immediately thereafter.

The purpose of this years luncheon is not only to again enjoy your company and thank you for your past support but also to advise you of recent and future happenings concerning our various training plans.

The luncheon invitation is restricted to yourself or your Vice-Principal and I look forward to your attendance.

Yours truly,

D. Bates

D.E. Bates
Captain
Officer Commanding

Canada

JML
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*Thank you
How would you
like to go?
TO PT 15
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*Since!
Have you or
Hanson attended
previous luncheons?
Janet*

*YES, I HAVE.
Previously,
LAST YEAR
OF YOURS IT'S
BEEN AWK
VENTURE!
SO NO ONE
HAS COME*

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The Headmaster



Gero Reinitzer
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CHOLIS

Prof. Carl Morey
Dean, Faculty of Music
University of Toronto
Edward Johnson Building
T o r o n t o, Ontario
M5S 1A1

October 15, 1986

Dear Sir,

Ridley College is one of ten private schools in Canada with a cadet program and is proud to have continued this tradition since 1891.

This fall saw the kick off to Ridley's 2nd Century Campaign, which will finally culminate in the construction of a Science-Computer-Arts-Centre. Next spring's Cadet Parade will be one of the highlights by which Ridley presents itself to the public.

I thought it would be appropriate for this event to present a special march to the Cadet Band - the "162 R.C. Army Cadet Corps March" - using the School Song as a march tune. This march will be played for the first time during the 1987 Inspection of the Ridley Cadet Corps.

For this I would like to ask your help to arrange a competition amongst students of composition to set this melody into a traditional march: Introduction - march - trio - march.

To make this competition attractive Ridley Prefects through an apple cider sale collected \$ 500 to reward the best composition. Each competitor should send a full score and a tape with the piano reduction by December 31, 1986. The choice will be made within one week. The winner will provide one set of parts.

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The level of the band is that of an Intermediate Band.

The band consists of

6 Snare Drums, 2 Tenor Drums, 1 Bass Drum, 2 Cymbals

2 Glockenspiel, 4 Flutes (1 Piccolo)

6 B^b Clarinets

1 Alto Sax, 1 Tenor Sax

6 B^b Trumpets

4 Trombones

2 Euphonium, 2 Tuba (at present I have only 1 trombone and one tuba but hope to get more players for these instruments).

I would greatly appreciate any suggestions or criticism you might have. Thank you very much for your kind assistance.

Yours truly

Gero Reinitzer

Gero Reinitzer

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9 October 1986

Mr. Peter J. Harte, Jr.
Parade Chairman
Folk Arts Council of St. Catharines
Multicultural Centre
85 Church Street
P.O. Box 1223
St. Catharines, ON
L2R 7A7

Dear Mr. Harte:

I apologize for not responding sooner to your very kind invitation of 26 September for our Cedar Band to participate in the 19th Annual Folk Arts Festival Grand Parade on Saturday, 13 May. We have spent the last couple of weeks discussing matters with our band director and the student leaders of the band. Regretfully we must decline your kind invitation.

Late May is a tremendously pressured time as we are moving up to examinations and the close of the school year. It really is impossible to guarantee a full band commitment--which is what would be necessary to put on the kind of good show you would want--at that time. Our band is already committed to the Cherry Blossom Festival in Niagara Falls earlier in the month, and I am afraid we must rest with that for this school year.

Thank you very much for thinking of us, and I hope that you will not cross us off the list for possible participation in future years.

Yours sincerely,

11. Jeremy Packard
Headmaster

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Bahadoorsingh, Meesha M.
Balmer, Catherine A.
Banta, C.L. (Livy)
Barclay, Michael A.
Bastien, B.L. (Guy)
Beamish, Stephanie L.
Bergemann, Christopher A.
Bhilotra, Sanjeet T.
Boyle, Douglas S.
Brouwer, Carla S.
Brown, James E.K.
Bruderer, Christian M.
Burch, Shane
Cadeau, James R.
Carruth, Robert J. (Bob)
Cheung, D-F Vincent
Christodoulou, A. Michael
Clarke, Charles J.W.
Coelho, David S.
Cornell, Sandra L.
Cressman, Marcia A.
Davis, C. Ryan
De Kuyper, Stephen A.
De Lavergnolle, Emmanuel
De Montbrun, Geoffrey P.
Dickson, William Robert
Dunkley, Derek J.
Edwards, Christopher S.
England, M.W. Dustin
Evans, Hugh D.
Ferguson, Bradley J.
Ferguson, Roderick G.
Finlay, Susan Ann
Finn, David J.
Flanagan, William J.
Fogg, Kimberley Anne
Forrest, Peter D.
Galloway, Sean P.
Gardiner, Kelly E.
Gatcliffe, Lorca C.
Gibson, Julia L.
Gleason, Christian M.
Gunning, Mark W.T.
Hallett, Tamara E.
Hamlin, Andrew L.B.
Hansen, Alexander C.C.
Hauffe, H. John
Hess, Nicole
Hill, Kathryn
Hodgins, M. Maureen
Hoffer, Michael A.

Jenner, Michael T.
Jofre, Margarita
Jofre, Xavier
Karachi, A. Dean
Karachi, Nadine D.
Karall, Christine J.
Kempe, Richard D.
Khumbchandani, Ajay
Langhorne, Noel B.
Laquis, Alain
Lennox, Douglas J.
Lo, H.C. Kenneth
MacDonald, Kathryn A.
Malowney, Jay B.
McArthur, Angela L.
McKeough, James G. (Jamie)
McLachlin, Honor C.
Miazga, Peter G.
Milne, Gavin D.
Monk, Kathryn M.
Moyer, I. Thomas (Tom)
Ngai, Wilson (W.M.)
Nickerson, Charles A.
Partington, Peter
Peppler, Nancy F.
Petrela, Gregory R.
Puckett, Kevin R.
Purdie, G.M. Dean
Rankin, Robin E.
Rigby, Timothy A.
Robison, Alexandra L.
Ryan, Noelle A.
Sanin, M. Mustafa
Shum, M.L. (Marina)
Silk, Hugh J.M.
Sizeland, Adrian W.
Steinhauser, Brian A.
Stevens, Anne S.
Surujnath, Marlene I.
Swayze, Michael A.
Tautrims, Brian
Taylor, James G. (Jim)
Thom, Stephen M.
Van Der Slagt, Grant
Vaughan, Rupert D.G.
Von Spee, Alice
Walker, Brent C.
Walker, Diana S.
Walker, Kristi A.L.
Walker, W. Garto
Watson, Ian W.
Wessely, Jason D.
Wilson, Daniel M. (Dan)
Wittholz, Antje K.

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Wong, Mitzu
Yan, Kerwin
Yates, Heather L.
Zia Mian, Michael S.
Zuliani, Christopher G.
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C Coy JMcKeough Jenner

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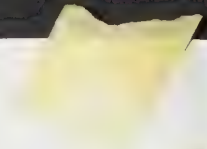
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3. Any further thoughts by the weekend

4. If you are satisfied, destroy this list and no further meeting.

5. I will run this by Mr. Silver and Mr. Packard only next week, and post by Sept. 25.

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*The Ridley College Father's Guild
Luncheon*

will be held at 12:00 noon

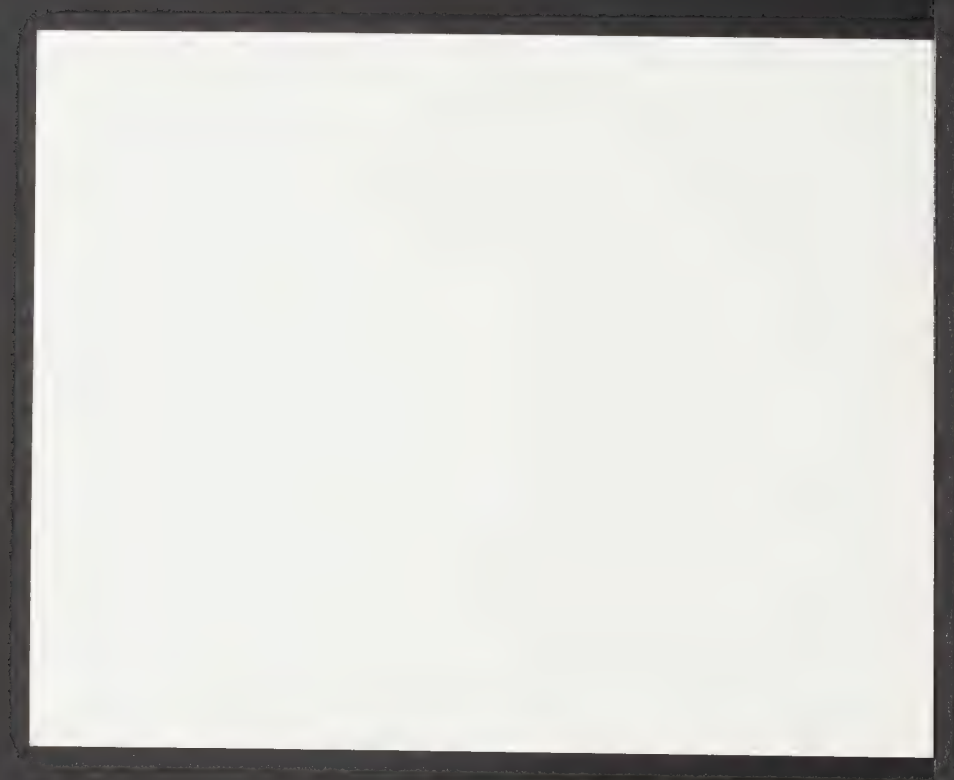
*Cadet Inspection Day, Friday, May the Ninth
nineteen hundred and eighty-six*

in

The Upper School Great Hall

Sherry 11:00 a.m.

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using reply card &
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Cadet Inspection Day
Friday, May 9th, 1986

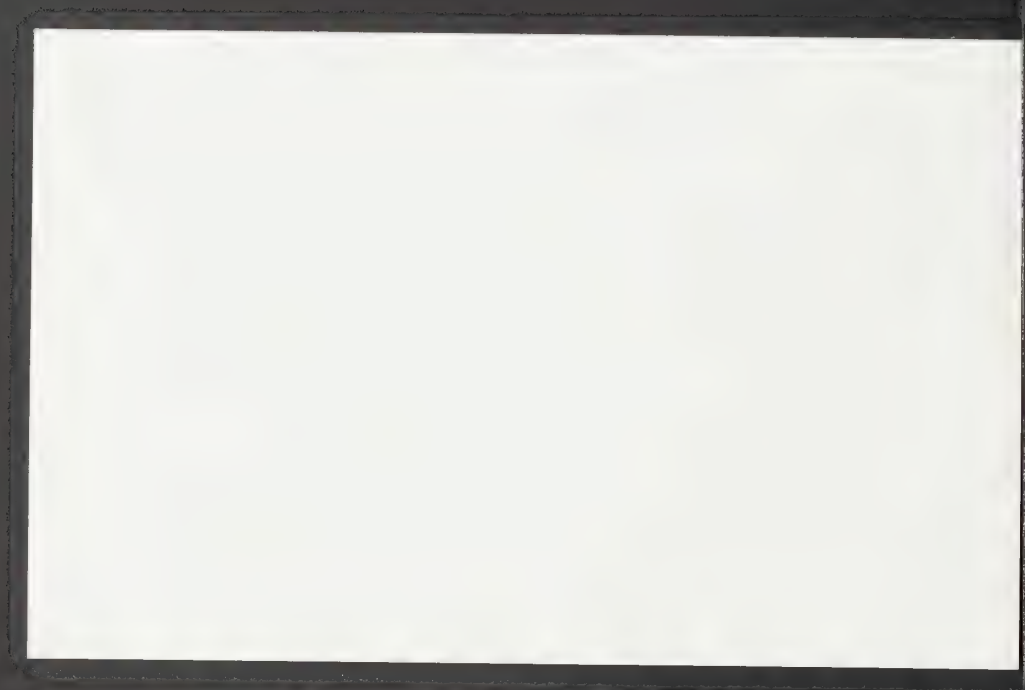
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at 12:00 noon ☐ ☐

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or

I will attend the Father's Guild Luncheon Yes No
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*FILE
CAPTAINS*

June 4, 1986

Major Paul E. Lewis
Commanding Officer
No. 162 RE(A)CC
Ridley College
Box 3013
St. Catharines, ON
L2R 7C3

Dear Major Lewis:

The shooting program is a very important facet/function of an effectual cadet corps. Ridley's cadet corps has just completed the first year in rebuilding the rifle team. The team's best showing was in the Ffennell Competition for the Youth of the Commonwealth. They qualified for the second stage for teams using the service rifle. In the second stage they placed just one point behind the highest score submitted this year by a Canadian entry.

Unfortunately, most of the competitions held specifically for cadet corps call for the use of the light rifle. Ridley does not own a single light rifle. The competitions this year were fired with equipment borrowed from the coach; namely, a shooting jacket, 2 light rifles and 3 slings. What would Gil Boa think of this situation? The late Gil Boa was a former world and olympic small bore champion and won numerous full bore competitions, including the Grand Aggregate at Bisley. Gil's wife was on staff here, while their son, George, was a Ridley student.

It is hoped that by the fall all aspirants for the rifle teams will come equipped with their own slings, their own shooting jackets, and most importantly, their own rifles. The rifles that will be used most frequently are classified as "Sporting Rifle" and "Standard Rifle" by the Shooting Federation of Canada and "Light Rifle" and "DCRA Target Rifle" by the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association. The rifle calibre is .22" (5.6mm), although air rifles of calibre .177" (4.5mm) are used in some competitions. For the present time ammunition will be provided only for the .22" rifles. The sights are an extremely important part of the rifle. The foresight should be a tube sight with interchangeable elements. The rear sight should be an aperature (peep) sight, (preferably an adjustable aperature), and calibrated for $\frac{1}{4}$ minute of angle adjustment both laterally and for elevation.

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The shooting program is not restricted by age, size, grade or sex. In marksmanship endeavors the participant is competing against his or her previous highest score, however in actual fact there are two avenues that may be followed. One is the Recreational Shooting program in which national and provincial rifle associations, ammunition manufacturers, etc., award crests, badges, pin, etc., for firing a certain number of targets above a certain score. There is no time limit involved and this is purely an individual effort. The other is Competitive Shooting in which competition targets are fired either in a team or individual competition. These matches are fired against other cadet corps, schools, rifle clubs, etc. These competitions are organized and run by dominion and provincial rifle associations.

The rifle that you are seeking is available at specialty gun shops. Most large centres have such shops. In the Ridley area the equipment described is carried by:

Hallam Sporting Goods, 491 McNicoll St., Willowdale, ON
(416) 494-9410

International Importers, 226 Vermont St., Waterloo, ON
(519) 884-6510

These are by no means the only sources.

The physical layout of the Rifle Range at Ridley is such that the storage and safeguarding of privately owned rifles will present no problem. A competent range officer and coach will be present whenever firing is in progress by the students of Ridley.

Your support to equip the team is requested and encouraged. Good shooting!

Bill Warshick
Rifle Coach

/dl



Mr. Mill
23 Clement Road
St. Cath
128 284

Dear Mill,

This is just a short note to thank you for your assistance in the rifle range this year. Major Lewis has kept me up to date on the progress of the rifle range and it has been a most interesting experience.

It is our hope that you will continue to assist us in the upcoming year. We will certainly keep all you hear in connection with the use of the rifle range in mind. As Major Lewis explained, he cannot put you on the Civilian Instructor roll until you come off the Supplementary List. This matter is in your hands.

We will also see to it that you get a set of keys for the armoury. Regarding extra rifles, the school has no funds for these but if there is any money left over from the DND budget, we will certainly consider such a purchase on a one per year basis. We are going to fall back on the DND budget. Since these are general issues, the school can suggest but cannot insist.

Thank you for your interest and dedication to the pursuit of excellence with these boys (and girls).

Yours sincerely,

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- Here
- 1) Attached is letter to the rifle team from Bill Wanslick
 - 2) Enclosed is letter from you to him. It is only a suggestion but good PR I think.
- Thanks
Paul L.



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Major P.E. Lewis,
Commanding Officer.
No.162 Ridley College
(Army) Cadet Corps.
Ridley College,
P.O.Box 3013,
St. Catharines, Ont.
L2R 7C3.

May 14, 1986.

Dear Major Lewis:

I have spoken with Major General Norman regarding the 1987 Cadet Corps Inspection. As I indicated to you, I believe that he would do a superior job for you, considering his natural qualities in dealing with the young. It is widely held that his term as Commandant of Royal Military College was one of the strongest in the history of the institution. If Ridley is fortunate enough to arrange his visit, his communication skills are such that your entire student body will develop greater insight into the role of cadets in their curriculum.

Frank suggests that you drop him a note as soon as possible so that the likelihood can be explored, considering the travel which he will be required to do in his new position: Commandant of the National Defense College.

Again, congratulations on a fine show last Friday. Not only did it come off well, I believe that the kids thoroughly enjoyed it all.

Sincerely,

M.A. Ashworth

c./ F.J. Norman.
85 Gore St.,
Kingston, Ont.
K7L 2L4



24 July 1980

Mr. Bill Warshaw
Wild Range Office
Kilby College

Dear Bill:

As Mr. Lewis by this time will probably have told you, we with great reluctance and sorrow, must close our range to regular shooting due to its non-compliance with current environmental protection regulations. I hope very much that Paul will be able to keep rifle going on somewhere for some Kilby students, and that you will be able to assist in this matter.

It is particularly unfortunate that this move is necessary at this time, because you did an outstanding job during the past year in revitalizing our rifle program. We are extremely grateful for the time, effort, and energy which you put in with our rifle team. If we can come up with a plan in terms of acquiring something in the next year or so, it is possible that we may be able to reopen the range. In the meantime, I hope that we can have some of our students do some outdoor shooting at public ranges, and possibly even rent some time at the one or two local indoor ranges.

Many thanks for your help and support!

Yours sincerely,

H. Jeremy Packard
Headmaster

HJP:kj

cc: Mr. Paul Lewis

24 July 1981

Major Paul Levin
Commanding Officer
Co. 102 Ridley College Cadet Corps

Dear Sir:

After further consultations with Mr. Lee Andrew, Property Manager of Ridley College, I am reluctantly forced to offer the closing down of the rifle range for regular shooting until such time as modern ventilation and environmental protection equipment can be purchased and installed. Since we have made about the problem noted by one consulting engineer, a second consulting engineer has reiterated and reinforced concerns about the non-compliance of the range with current regulations.

As riflery has been an important and integral part of Cadets and the extracurricular program at Ridley College, I hope very much that you and Mr. Andrews will be able to keep the program going on an outdoor or covered range for at least some of our students. I would be glad to attempt to facilitate some training for that if such were necessary. The parties most disadvantaged by this closing of our range may indeed be the outside Cadet groups which use it regularly. I would request that you let them know about the situation as soon as possible so that they can make alternate arrangements.

Yours sincerely,

W. Jeremy Packard
Headmaster

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cc: Mr. Andrew
Mr. R. Cooke
John Walker

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CADETS

Ridley College
St. Catharines, Ontario

9 Jul 86

Jere

I have seen part of the report from the engineers re the RIFLE RANGE and I don't understand most of it since it is not re Ridley itself, but it seems that the bottom line is that there is no adequate exhaust to protect from lead poisoning, etc. etc. I appreciate all of this.

But...could you consult with whomever....and write me an official note one way or another. Either closing down the facility until ventilation adjustments can be made

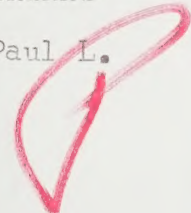
or, carry on with 'due caution', possibly limiting range use to 1 hour maximum per firer at any one time.

It doesn't pose a great problem for me one way or another but I would like to get Bill Warshick off my back or give him the green light for future plans. He phones me about every third day with ideas and plans.

I haven't told him of the above difficulty yet but I think I should soon. I would still like to be able to write a soupy thank-you note to him for his efforts last year. We really did make progress....if rifle-shooting is a progress-related sport! Actually, Warshick is planning to get a Gill Boa memorial trophy and has the contacts to do so.

Thanks

Paul L.



Gene

The Officers and Cadets
of
Ridley College Cadet Corps
request the pleasure of your presence at the
Annual Inspection
on Friday afternoon, May the ninth
nineteen hundred and eighty-six
at one-thirty o'clock

Inspecting Officer:
Colonel David S. Beatty
Honorary Colonel
The Royal Regiment of Canada

